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Scott E. Jones
Examiner
Group Art Unit 3713

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Raleigh, North Carolina

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Commissioner for Patents
Box Non-Fee Amendment
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 6, 2001, Applicant elects to proceed with the Group I claims. This election is made without traverse. The Group I claims include claims 1-51 and 81-84.

Respectfully submitted,

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